

CHAPTER 2H. RECREATIONAL AND CULTURAL INTEREST AREA SIGNS

Section 2H.09 Destination Guide Signs

Guidance:

An assembly consisting of a State Park sign with a mileage sign (10 MI or 5 MI) posted immediately beneath and on the same post(s) should be placed along approaches to State Parks at 5 mile (8 km) intervals, not to exceed 10 miles (16 km).



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Option:

At the park entrance, an appropriate arrow sign may be substituted for the mileage sign.

Support:

The State Park and mileage signs do not have to be reflectorized.

Standard:

The State Historic Site Emblem shall be used on signs for the official historic site destinations as designated by the North Carolina Department of Cultural Resources and that meet NCDOT's minimum requirements for guide sign installation.

Option:

Other symbols or emblems may be used on signs such as welcome signs or recreational or cultural area signs if the design and application are approved by the Traffic Engineering Branch.

For historic destinations that meet the North Carolina Historic Site qualifications, a sign that includes the NCHS emblem may be used.

Support:

These sites are listed at: <http://www.ah.dcr.state.nc.us/> .

The following are example designs:



Option:

If signing is required for other sites in the state that are considered “historic”, the word “Historic” may be included in the legend (for example: Historic Blandwood Mansion).

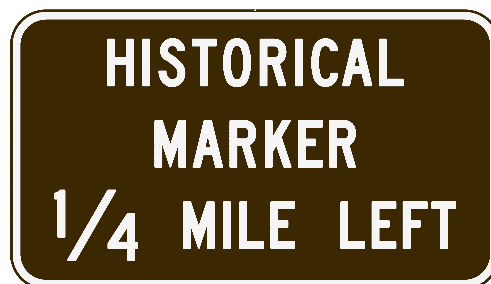
Section 2H.09.A HISTORICAL MARKER (1/4) MILE LEFT (RIGHT) Sign

Option:

The historical marker sign may be used at major intersections to direct motorists to large map-style historical markers or clusters of smaller markers.

Standard:

Locations for the historical marker sign shall be approved by the Traffic Engineering and Safety Systems Branch.



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